

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT			
Toshiya Shozaki et al.)) Group Art Unit: 2609			
Application No.: 10/720,161	Examiner: Jamares Washington			
Filing Date: November 25, 2003) Confirmation No.: 4323			
Title: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS))			
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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application. \boxtimes A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$\infty\$ \$65 \$\infty\$ \$130 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. Also enclosed is/are: Small entity status is hereby claimed. П Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$\Boxed{\Boxes} \\$ 395 \$\Boxed{\Boxes} \\$ 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. \\$ 1.17(e). Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be П entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. Applicant(s) previously submitted __ for which continued examination is requested. Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least , which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additio	onal Fee
Total Claims	24	21	3	x \$ 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$ 200 (1201)		0
☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 360 (1203)					\$	0
Total Claim Amendment Fee			\$	0		
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					0	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT			\$	150		

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	A check in the amount of is enclosed for the fee due.
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\boxtimes	The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.
	Respectfully submitted,

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